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To: [Niemi, Cheryl \(ECY\)](#)
Subject: Re: Could not reach you on cell - here is what I plan to say
Date: Monday, October 29, 2012 8:03:50 AM

Hi Cheryl,

It would be fine as it is. If you have a chance to alter it, this is what I'd prefer.

EPA Region 10 Toxicologist and
Risk assessor for Superfund

Great depth of knowledge of regional fish consumption rate studies - in particular
Native American fish consumption surveys.

Lon was a key player in developing EPA Region 10's internal policy for
assessing tribal seafood consumption risks

Lon is Currently assisting in the Idaho HHC process addressing FCRs and is a
member of two national committees examining fish consumption and risk
assessment for EPA's Superfund and Water programs.

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 "Niemi, Cheryl (ECY)" ---10/28/2012 11:22:17 AM---Please call me at my work phone and leave me a
mss before 8:30 on Monday if this does not look right

From: "Niemi, Cheryl (ECY)" <cnie461@ECY.WA.GOV>
To: Lon Kissinger/R10/USEPA/US@EPA
Date: 10/28/2012 11:22 AM
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Please call me at my work phone and leave me a mss before 8:30 on Monday if this does

not look right to you. Let me know what changes you'd like. My main emphasis in introducing you will be the following:

- **You have lots of knowledge and experience in state and federal clean-ups**
- **High profile sites**
- **Regional expert in FCRs – framework development**
- **We are incredibly fortunate to have your time**

DRAFT:

ECY	WQS staff	Me, Melissa, Becca, Susan, Chad
	Rob Duff	Program manager for EAP EAP is Ecology's primary scientific research and monitoring division. Toxicologist Extensive risk assessment experience Prior to Ecology, managed WDOH fish advisory program
	Dale Norton Environmental contaminants	Manages the Toxics Studies Unit within EAP. Responsible for overseeing a wide variety of monitoring programs for toxic chemicals. freshwater fish tissue monitoring, trend monitoring for persistent, bioaccumulative., and emerging contaminants, Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) studies for toxic pollutants, surface water pesticide monitoring Puget Sound Toxics Loading Analysis. During the last 30 years, most of this work has focused on fate, transport, and bioaccumulation of toxic contaminants in marine and freshwater aquatic systems.

	Bill Moore	<p>Manages Permit Development program</p> <p>Extensive experience in Point source permitting, and federal and state requirements</p> <p>Most recently, emphasis stormwater permits</p>
	Nancy Kmet	<p>Lead permit specialist</p> <p>Extensive experience in NPDES permitting and permitting requirements</p> <p>Industrial permitting section - permits for large industry in WA</p> <p>Permit review for consistency with permitting requirements</p> <p>Monitoring requirements and data submittal –</p>
	Kasia Patore	<p>Ecology's lead economist analyst in charge of:</p> <p>Administrative Procedures Act – and -</p> <p>Regulatory Fairness Act</p> <p>Documents</p>
	Sandy Howard	<p>Communications expert for this project</p> <p>All media inquiries go through Sandy</p> <p>Big role in developing communication materials for the agency on this issue</p>
WDOH	Dave McBride	<p>Toxicologist for the WDOH</p> <p>Expert in WDOH fish advisory program –</p> <p>Evaluating priority chemicals of public health concern in Washington</p> <p>Member of the Human Health Focus Group in Oregon for FCR development</p>
EPA	Matt Szlag	<p>EPA Reg. 10 Washington Standards coordinator</p>

		<p>CWA WQS development</p> <p>Federal requirements</p> <p>Very involved in Oregon's FCR and implementation tools process</p> <p>Angela Chung R10 WQS Unit Manager</p>
	Lon Kissinger	<p>EPA Region 10 Toxicologist and Risk assessor for Superfund</p> <p>Great depth of knowledge of regional fish consumption rate studies -</p> <p>Led development of EPA's 2007 Framework for Selecting and Using Tribal Fish and Shellfish Consumption Rates for Risk-Based Decision Making at CERCLA and RCRA Cleanup Sites in Puget Sound and the Strait of Georgia</p> <p>In addition to many ongoing clean-up projects,</p> <p>Lon is Currently assisting in the Idaho HHC process addressing FCRs</p>
Attorney general's office	Ron Lavigne	<p>Our Lead CWA AAG –</p> <p>Advising us on issues related to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CWA and WA law and regulations • Environmental justice • Treaty related issues
Other resources as needed	ECY TCP staff	<p>Issues related to MTCA Clean-ups</p> <p>FCR technical report</p>

Potentially	Other agencies	Fisheries resources
	Other experts	Distributional analysis

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